

NEW MADONNA AT MUSEUM

AN IMPORTANT PAINTING BY GIOVANNI BELLINI

Feet of the Mogul Peacock Throne Among Late Acquisitions—Notable Gift of Lace—Material Gathered by Egyptian Expedition on the Way.

Several valuable exhibits have been received within the month at the Metropolitan Museum of Art. The painting "The Madonna and Child," by Giovanni Bellini, is the most important work of the Venetian school which the museum has yet acquired. It has not been known hitherto to writers on art and is therefore of peculiar interest.

The picture is on a poplar wood panel in oil and measures roughly thirty-five by twenty-eight inches. In front of a dull orange red curtain the Madonna is seated holding the Infant Christ in both hands. The curtain is drawn aside to the spectator's left, revealing behind the Madonna's figure the outskirts of a small hill town; a winding road leads toward houses which have chimneys in the Venetian fashion; there is a single fortress tower, and beyond a vista of mountain ranges. It is thought that the picture was painted at the end of the '70s or early in the '80s.

A pedestal of the platform of the Mogul peacock throne from the palace of the Emperor Shah Jehan, who reigned in Delhi from 1628 to 1658, is an interesting acquisition. This palace was the most magnificent in the East, probably in the world. At the time of the invasion of India in 1739 the throne was carried to the capital of Persia, where it still remains. In the Indian Mutiny the platform was destroyed, as well as the throne which had replaced the former one. Capt. Tyler, an officer left in charge of the palace, saved two of the four pedestals which supported this platform, and some years after his death his widow gave one to the South Kensington Museum. Mrs. Tyler died early in the present year, and the Metropolitan Museum bought the remaining one from her estate. The pedestal is a column of white marble, somewhat more than twenty-two inches high. It is richly decorated.

A notable gift of lace has been received from Mrs. Edward Luckmeyer. This comprises three pieces of needlepoint of unusual beauty, two volantes of Point de France, remodelled into capes, and a cover of reticella and punta in aria, possibly used for a small altar. The gift supplements a previous set of eighteen examples presented by Mrs. Luckmeyer. To the two chests of Italian Renaissance furniture which the museum already possessed have now been added two others representing another type of chest. These are of carved wood, one whose severe lines betoken an early Florentine Renaissance origin, the other from Venice and characterized by the rich decoration of the middle Renaissance. The remainder of the newly acquired furniture is all of Florentine or at least Tuscan origin. To the furniture of German origin has been added a little South German cupboard of the late Renaissance.

The foliage designs of three newly acquired Spanish rugs of the sixteenth century show the influence exerted in Spain by the Italian Renaissance. The hunting carpet recently presented to the museum began a collection to which several rugs from Asia Minor have now been added by purchase. To the Persian carpets have been added a small scalloped Isfahan rug and a large rug of geometric design.

The museum has acquired two white porcelain figures made by Basteili of Nymphenburg about 1760, representing a man and woman in Chinese costume, which are very representative of the work of that versatile artist of Italian origin.

Mr. Purdon Clarke announced that throughout December an exhibition of the material gathered by the Egyptian expedition sent by the Metropolitan Museum would be shown here. Albert Lythgoe, curator of Egyptian antiquities, who returned from London several weeks ago, said that the recent shipment received from Egypt, comprising 250 cases, was the largest ever made by the museum. It contained, among other things, a red granite altar from the temple of Amenhotep, which was delayed at Cairo for two months because adequate steamer space could not be engaged. The altar weighs twelve tons. It is on the way to this country.

Mr. Lythgoe reports substantial progress in the excavation of the Pyramid of Amenhotep. The season for working ended about the middle of June. A month later Mr. Lythgoe went from Egypt to London, where he recruited his staff for this season, which begins in November. He will have six assistants, the largest number that has ever been employed. Mr. Lythgoe came to this country especially to attend to the unpacking of the specimens so far unearthed. Owing to the damp climate in the vicinity of New York he has found it necessary to apply a certain kind of varnish to the stones to keep them from absorbing the moisture and crumbling. Such a preparation has been found only recently after years of experimenting by the University of Aberdeen.

Mrs. Lucy O. Perkins has been appointed to the staff of the museum. She will be prepared to show the collections to members and visitors by previous appointment, whether the purpose be a general visit or inspection of particular collections or of particular objects. This service will be free to members of the museum and to the public schools, as well as to scholars under their guidance. To all others a charge of 25 cents a person will be made, with a minimum charge of \$1 an hour. The appointment of a special officer to this work is a new departure in museum practice, though something of a novelty. The American Museum of Natural History in New York has already set the example.

The additions to the library in the last month were 107 volumes, thirty-six of which were by presentation. The donors are: Edward D. Adams, Charles Henry Hart, Messrs. Frederick Koppel & Co., Miss Florence N. Levy and J. Pierpont Morgan. There have also been received 30 photographs, a gift from James Loeb.

Lincoln Celebration. Seven Generals and Lincoln's Telegraph Operators at the City Hall.

The committee appointed by Mayor McCallan to make arrangements for the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the birth of Lincoln and to decide upon some form of a permanent monument to his memory, met yesterday in the City Hall. Joseph H. Choate was chosen chairman and Judge Charles Hoyt, a grandson of Lincoln's Secretary of the Treasury, will be the secretary. A subcommittee to work out the details of the coming celebration will have Tax Commissioner Hugh Hastings as chairman. Among those who attended the meeting were seven Generals who served in the Federal army during the war—Daniel E. Sickles, Horace Porter, Isaac S. Catlin, Edward L. Woodford, Alexander H. Webb, Henry L. Burnett, and Anson G. McKee. Also there were present Major David H. Bates, Col. Charles A. Tinker and Albert B. Chandler, three of President Lincoln's confidants and telegraph operators in the White House.

ADA REHAN COMING BACK.

Intends to Live Hereafter in America, but Will Not Return to the Stage.

Special Cable Dispatch to The Sun.

LONDON, Oct. 8.—Miss Ada Rehan, who has made her home in England in late years, is now staying with Lady Eric Parrington.

She has resolved, however, to live in the United States in the future, and will sail for Philadelphia on Saturday.

She has definitely refused all offers to return to the stage.

JEROME AND JUDGE DISAGREE.

This County Will Not Be Represented at Thaw Sanity Trial in Westchester.

District Attorney Jerome has written to District Attorney Winslow of Westchester county reiterating his declaration that he has retired from any further participation in the Thaw sanity case.

Mr. Jerome says he regrets that he is compelled to differ with Justice Mills, who gave it as his opinion that Mr. Jerome should not withdraw because the case had been withdrawn from this county. Mr. Jerome says:

The learned Justice seems to think that this proceeding is an "assault" upon an order or decree made in New York county by Mr. Justice Dowling on my motion when by Thaw was committed to Matteawan, and likens the proceeding in this respect to an appeal. In this the learned Justice has entirely misconceived the character of the proceeding as it now is and has forgotten his own decision already rendered herein.

There was no appeal from Justice Dowling's order. Mr. Jerome quoted Justice Mills's decision sustaining the decision of Justice Morschauser that Justice Dowling had the power to commit Thaw to Matteawan. Mr. Jerome adds:

The "assault" on Mr. Justice Dowling's order being out of the way nothing is left in this proceeding except an inquiry by "due process of law" as to Thaw's present mental condition. No "assault" or question in regard to the validity of Justice Dowling's order remains. This inquiry is one with which I have nothing to do so long as it is held without my county.

I agree with Justice Mills that I must sustain the validity of Justice Dowling's order wherever and whenever "assaulted," this I have done. Should an appeal be taken from Mr. Justice Mills's decision herein by Thaw I shall appear and argue all questions constituting an "assault" upon such order, just as I am doing in the appeal from Justice Morschauser's decision, which involves the same "assault."

Mr. Jerome says he has no legal duty to appear in the proceeding in Westchester county. He refers to the opinion of Corporation Counsel Pendleton that the Comptroller must not pay his bills incurred out of the county and says he has heard no good reason why the trial should not be in this county, and while he assures Mr. Winslow that he will help him he will not appear personally in the proceedings.

WHITE PLAINS, Oct. 8.—District Attorney Winslow of Westchester county said today: "I am convinced that Thaw is a dangerous paranoiac and should not be at large. I have learned that on several occasions he has threatened to kill persons since he has been in jail. I do not feel justified in hiring experts for the trial next Monday, but will probably have the physicians from the Matteawan asylum."

Mrs. Thaw visited the jail to-day and spent an hour with the prisoner.

PASTOR CALLS WEDDING OFF.

The Rev. E. S. Jamison of Andover, N. J., Surprises His Parishioners.

ANDOVER, N. J., Oct. 8.—The Rev. E. S. Jamison, pastor of the little Methodist church, announced to-day that the wedding of his daughter, Miss Isabel Eloise Jamison, to Alfred B. Forsyth of Brooklyn would not take place next Thursday in the church, as previously announced.

The clergyman would not say what the reasons were for the breaking of the engagement. The announcement of it was a great surprise to the parishioners and the many other friends of Mr. Jamison in Sussex county.

The young people of the church had planned to give a linen shower for Miss Jamison to-morrow night, but this too is off.

News of Plays and Players.

Elsa Ryan and Lawrence Wheat, who are appearing in Pixley & Luder's opera "Marcelle," in which Louise Gunning is starring at the Casino, are to become joint Shubert stars themselves a year from the present time. Contracts were signed yesterday between the Messrs. Shubert and Messrs. Pixley and Luder for another opera to be ready next August and to have leading stellar roles especially designed for Miss Ryan and Mr. Wheat.

Mme. Schumann-Heink sailed for Europe yesterday on the steamship Bluebird for a concert tour through Europe, which will last a year. The tour will open in Hamburg on October 25 and will take in a number of countries in Europe, including Russia, in which country she has never been heard.

A party of delegates to the tuberculosis congress, which has been in session at Washington, will attend the Hippodrome performance to-night.

Another Model Tenement for East Side.

Plans have been filed with Building Superintendent Murphy for a big six story model tenement to be built for the City and Suburban Homes Company at 537 to 545 East Seventy-eighth street, adjoining the company's present model tenement holdings on what is known as the Avenue A estate overlooking John Jay Park. The new building will have a frontage of 105 feet and a depth of 85 feet and will contain fifteen small suites of apartments on the first floor and seventeen suites on the other stories. There will be public showers, bath and playground for children in the middle of the cellar. The building is to cost \$100,000. P. H. Ohm is the architect.

\$25,000 Left to St. Francis Xavier College.

Newburgh, Oct. 8.—The will of Joseph J. Callahan of 290 Montgomery street, who died a week ago, was filed for probate to-day, and the estate, which amounts to \$25,000, is all left to the College of St. Francis Xavier, West Sixteenth street, New York. Mr. Callahan was a bachelor and about 85 years old. Part of his property is a farm in Dutchess county, and the testator desires that it shall be occupied by the clergy as a retreat or a country house for teachers and professors if they deem it available; if not, to sell it and the proceeds go to the college.

Brooklyn Pastor Withdraws Resignation.

The Rev. John Stapleton has withdrawn his resignation as pastor of the Immanuel Congregational Church in Brooklyn in response to the almost unanimous request of the congregation. It was owing to some slight friction in the church that Mr. Stapleton tendered his resignation.

Rev. Dr. McCormick Coming to Brooklyn.

The Rev. Dr. Charles W. McCormick, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Hartford, Conn., has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Nostrand Avenue Church in Brooklyn as the successor of the late Dr. James G. McKee. He will take charge on November 1.

LADY COOK IS A CITIZEN

HER LAWYERS TELL HER SO AND QUOTE THE STATUTE.

Also She Hears That She Needn't Have Paid Duty on Her Auto, So She Is Going to Sue—Decides to Be a Suffragette and Will Try to Register.

It won't be necessary for Lady Francis Cook, who before her marriage was Tennessee Claflin, to sue the United States Government or even to railroad a bill through Congress in order to establish her rights as an American citizen. She received yesterday from her lawyers definite information that these rights are already established by section 8, Chapter 2534, of the United States Statutes passed by the Fifty-ninth Congress.

According to the statute, "any American woman who marries a foreigner shall take the nationality of her husband. At the termination of her marital relation she may resume her American citizenship if abroad by registering as an American citizen within one year with a Consul of the United States or by returning to reside in the United States or at the termination of the marital relation by continuing to reside therein."

Sir Francis Cook died in 1901, and Lady Cook announced upon her arrival in New York in 1904 that she intended to reside in this city and to assume the privileges and duties of an American citizen.

The statute which governs her case had not then become a law, but her lawyers told her that her reaffirmations in 1907 and in 1908 of her desire for citizenship entitled her to profit by its provisions. They informed her further that they had received assurance from Federal authorities having jurisdiction over such matters that no formal declaration on the part of their client would be necessary.

Lady Cook has two reasons for being specially jubilant over the news. In the first place, it gives her an opportunity to gloat over the discomfort of her arch enemy, the custom house officials.

Every time she returns from England, where she spends a few months of each year, these ungallant persons, despite all her protests to the contrary, have asserted that she was an alien. They have furthermore compelled her to bring in her automobile under a tourist's bond.

When she entered the port last Friday she refused to take out the required bond and her machine was detained in the Custom House until yesterday morning, when it was delivered to her upon the payment of \$25 duty.

Her lawyers informed her that since the car has been in her possession for more than two years, she was entitled to bring it in free of duty. She has decided to sue for the return of the car.

In the second place, the admission by the Federal authorities that she is a citizen of the United States, plus her own interpretation of the Forty-ninth and Fiftieth Amendments to the Constitution, give her, she believes, the right to vote at the Presidential election, and she has determined to have her name inscribed on a registration book to-morrow afternoon.

She has resolved to cast in her lot with that branch of the would-be self-mandates known as the Women's National Progressive Suffrage Union, or more familiarly as the American Suffragettes. She has invited Mrs. Sophia Loebinger and Miss Mary Coleman, the two leading spirits and orators of the union, to the opinion of those who attend the open air meetings the most decorative members to drive to the polls in her car, which will be draped with yellow banners.

Lady Cook is a picked delegation of suffragettes will go to Washington early in December and proceed in a body to the Capitol. She has prepared a memorial Congress, which she is sure she will be allowed to read.

MADE HER HUSBAND REGISTER.

Women Republicans Cheer Mrs. Penfield—A Poem on Taft.

Mrs. William Worner Penfield and Mrs. John Livingston Niver got about all the applause there was at the meeting of the Women's West End Republican Club, which was held yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Astor.

Mrs. Penfield fired the assembly with enthusiasm when she related the details of the struggle she had had to make her husband register. When she admitted that in the end she had been obliged to use physical force she got three cheers and a tiger.

Mrs. Niver read some of her own verses, which were pronounced by those present the most affecting effusion of this or any other campaign. Here are sample stanzas:

We've two Williams up for office—
The highest in our land;
One's a very stout speaker,
But shifting as the sand.

We want another William—
Our William Howard Taft;
Here's a worker, and his deeds show
He's doing us no harm.

Loyally rally quickly,
Oh, North and South;
Show forth to other nations
We won't elect a mouse.

W. J. Chadborn told the women what they could do to help elect Taft and Gov. Hughes. He said, "I had made an impression on the people of the West which was similar to that created by Lincoln sixty years ago."

The W. E. R. C. will have a social meeting on October 25 and will take in a number of countries in Europe, including Russia, in which country she has never been heard.

A party of delegates to the tuberculosis congress, which has been in session at Washington, will attend the Hippodrome performance to-night.

COLUMBIA CLASS OFFICERS.

Political Campaign Wound Up—Result of Senior and Junior Elections.

The political campaign at Columbia wound up yesterday with the election of the officers of the senior class. The officers of the junior and under classes took place earlier in the week. The officers elected in each division of the upper classes were as follows:

Senior Class—H. Price, Seattle, Wash., president; A. E. Tuck, Brooklyn, N. Y., vice-president; W. H. Brown, New York City, secretary; C. Nighman, Bayonne, N. J., treasurer.

Junior Class—J. J. Ryan, New York City, president; P. E. Locke, New York City, vice-president; G. H. O. Knapp, Englewood, N. J., secretary.

Junior-Senior Class—F. H. Saunders, Gloversville, N. Y., president; Ransom Noble, New York City, vice-president; M. B. Doremus, Mount Vernon, N. Y., secretary; E. W. Osborne, New York City, treasurer.

Junior-Senior Class—F. H. Saunders, Gloversville, N. Y., president; F. S. Dellenbaugh, New York City, president; T. S. Babcock, Mount Vernon, N. Y., secretary; H. Williams, New Bedford, Mass., treasurer.

Will Give \$25,000 to East Orange Church.

EAST ORANGE, N. J., Oct. 8.—The will of Mrs. Emma J. Ludlow, wife of the Rev. Dr. James M. Ludlow, former pastor of the Munn Avenue Presbyterian Church here, was admitted to probate to-day.

The church is the chief beneficiary, receiving a bequest of \$25,000. With the exception of Miss Grace Ludlow, to whom is given the income of \$10,000 until she may marry, and thereafter \$1,000 for her own and all the children, who are adults, share equally in the residuary estate.

Buffalo Express: "Everywhere it is conceded that 'The Testing of Diana Mallory' is the great novel of the year."

St. Louis Times: "Nothing could be finer than the character of this young woman."

Brooklyn Times: "Of all that notable gallery of characters which Mrs. Ward has given to the reading public—characters so real that they are discussed with as much feeling as if they were personal acquaintances—none is more appealing, certainly none more lovable, than Diana Mallory."

New York Times: "This brilliantly gifted author—certainly the peer of anyone now actively engaged in writing novels."

Chicago Inter-Ocean: "Mrs. Ward has never drawn a heroine who makes such an appeal to human sympathies as Diana Mallory."

DEATH OF GEORGE WILSON.

Was Secretary of New York Chamber of Commerce for Forty Years.

George Wilson, secretary of the New York Chamber of Commerce since 1868 and connected with that body for half a century, died yesterday at his home, 200 Green avenue, Brooklyn, after an illness of two weeks. His death was caused by intestinal trouble, from which he had suffered for some time, but which had not become acute until recently.

Mr. Wilson was born in New York on January 7, 1839. His father was Jotham Wilson, principal of a city school. One of his grandfathers fought under Washington and lost his life in the battle of Monmouth, and the other fought in the war of 1812.

George Wilson had a common school education and at the age of 18 went into the employ of the Chamber of Commerce as an assistant secretary under John Austin Stevens, then secretary. During the civil war he obtained a leave of absence from his duties and entered the navy as paymaster. After a short service he was invalided on account of the malarial fever which he had contracted while on blockading duty in the Potomac.

He returned to his former post, and when Mr. Stevens resigned in 1868 Mr. Wilson was unanimously elected secretary. From then until the day of his death Mr. Wilson missed attendance at the Chamber of Commerce monthly meetings, and one of these absences was on October 1 last, after his illness had taken a turn for the worse.

Mr. Wilson compiled the annual reports of the chamber for forty years, doing most of the work at his home at night. He knew the affairs of the chamber to the remotest detail and the statistics which he compiled were of great interest locally and had a national bearing as well.

In a sketch of Mr. Wilson published some years ago it was said of him that the business and social life of the city have not on one time or another been brought into relations with Mr. George Wilson as comparatively speaking, very few, while those who have and went away with any but the most favorable impressions are still fewer.

Two of Mr. Wilson's special duties, the second of which was self-imposed, were the arrangement of the annual dinner of the Chamber at Delmonico's and the collecting of portraits for the chamber. Through this hobby of his the chamber is possessed of oil portraits of prominent men but one in the history of the organization.

Mr. Wilson was a member of the New England Society of New York, the New York commandery of the Loyal Legion, the Naval Order of the United States, the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the American Museum of Natural History and the New York and Long Island Historical society.

In 1853 Mr. Wilson married Miss Mary B. Amerman of Brooklyn and afterward made his home in that borough. He is survived by his wife and one son, John A. Wilson, who acted as his father's assistant. The funeral will be held at Mr. Wilson's late home to-morrow at 8 o'clock. Interment will be in Greenwood and will be private.

E. A. STERN FOUND DEAD.

Wealthy Importer Died in Bathroom at His Long Island Home.

FAR ROCKAWAY, L. I., Oct. 8.—Edward A. Stern was found dead this morning in the bathroom of his Long Island home. The discovery was made by a servant who had called him for breakfast. Mr. Stern had on only a bathrobe and slippers.

Dr. Hamrock, the coroner's physician was called in and he pronounced the man dead. He said heart failure was the cause of death and gave permission for the burial.

Mr. Stern was 65 years old and lived at Wave Crest, near here, with his wife and one child. He was one of the wealthiest residents hereabouts. He was a member of the firm of George A. Stern & Co., Importers, at 20 Beaver street, New York City.

OBITUARY.

Major Charles Carrington, a veteran clerk in the War Department, died Thursday morning in Westchester county, N. Y., at the age of seventy-four years, after a long illness. He was born in Ohio when the civil war broke out. He enlisted as a private in the 69th Mass. Infantry and served until April, 1863, when he was appointed a clerk in the Adjutant-General's office. From that time he served continuously in the War Department.

Maurice Slack, a retired Hoboken policeman, died yesterday at his home, 75 Hudson street, at the age of 75. He was the father of Dr. Joseph F. X. Slack, Republican candidate for Mayor three years ago, and is survived by four other children, including Sister Mary Michael of the Home for the Aged at Yonkers.

William W. Lyon, who gave up law practice in 1880 about twenty years ago and had since been engaged in newspaper work in New York, died on Sunday at his home, 100 West 10th street, at the age of 71. He was a graduate of Cornell University and a civil war veteran.

Frederick S. Van Vleet, who was prominent in Masonic circles in Brooklyn, died on Wednesday at his home, 711 Eastern Parkway, in his eightieth year. He was a member of the Twenty-third Regiment and a Republican politician. He leaves a widow.

Bolton-Curry.

BOSTON, Oct. 8.—With only relatives and a few intimate friends present to witness the ceremony, the marriage of Miss Julia Alexander Curry of San Francisco, daughter of Mrs. Montgomery Scott Curry, to Guy Reginald Bolton, a New York architect, took place this afternoon at St. Christopher's Church.

The bridegroom is a son of Reginald Pelham Bolton of New York. The bride has been known as one of the wealthiest young women of California, where she owns several extensive ranches. The bride was escorted by her father, Dr. Montgomery Scott Curry, 64 years of age, who gave her in marriage. The bride's only attendant was Miss Alice Mae Lyon, and the bridesmaid was Miss Richard Stern of New York.

The best man was Miss Osborn, brother of the bride, and the ushers were mostly classmates of the bridegroom at Yale. Mr. and Mrs. Bolton will live in Brooklyn.

Vanine-Glover.

Mrs. Florence Elsie Glover and Harry Moore Vanine were married last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Glover, 104 West 100th street. The ceremony was performed at 7 o'clock by the Rev. Dr. Charles L. Goodell of the Calvary Methodist Church. The bride wore a white satin costume with point lace, which her mother had worn, and a veil caught with a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Elsie Glover, as maid of honor. Marion Glover and Beatrice Glover were the flower girls. Samuel Criver and John C. Glover were the ring bearers. Ralph Jones assisted as best man. There were about 150 bridal guests. Supper was served after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Vanine will pass their honeymoon in the South.

Bristol-Osborn.

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 8.—The marriage of Miss Dorothy Osborn, daughter of Col. Norris G. Osborn of this city, to Ernest M. Bristol of Brooklyn took place this afternoon at St. John's Protestant Episcopal Church by the Rev. Stewart Means. The bride was attended by Miss Adelaide Bromley, Miss Doris Newberry and Miss Katherine Osborn, all of this city; Miss Katherine Waldo of Chicago, Miss Emily Butler of Yonkers, N. Y., and Miss Carol Bristol of Brooklyn as bridesmaids, and Miss Col. Bagnall of this city as maid of honor. The best man was Miss Osborn, brother of the bride, and the ushers were mostly classmates of the bridegroom at Yale. Mr. and Mrs. Bristol will live in Brooklyn.

Hessing-Kobbe.

NEW HAVEN, N. J., Oct. 8.—Miss Louise Leavitt Kobbe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Kobbe of this place, was married this afternoon to William Alexander Hessing of 31 Remsen street, Brooklyn. The ceremony took place in the Episcopal Church, the pastor, the Rev. Charles Larkin Deane, officiating. After a tour of Europe, Mr. and Mrs. Hessing will live in Brooklyn.

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Baur-Whitting.

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 8.—The wedding of Dr. Paul Victor Christopher Baur, professor of classical archaeology at Yale, to Miss Susan Whitting, daughter of Mrs. William W. Whitting, which took place at the bride's home in this city to-day, was attended by hundreds of members of Yale University.

The bride was accompanied by her sister, Miss Elsie Whitting. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Charles L. Goodell, secretary of the Corporation. Prof. Baur was attended by Prof. Henry C. Emery of Yale as best man, and his ushers included Curtis Walcott, John Jay Jackson, W. R. Pitkin, John Whiting, Ernest Whiting and Ralph Van Name, all of New Haven. The bride and bridesmaid will sail for the Orient in the early spring, where Dr. Baur will carry on research work for the university.

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